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STATEMENT FILED PURSUANT TO THE DUTY OF
DISCLOSURE UNDER 37 CFR §§1.56, 1.97 AND 1.98

Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §§1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, the Applicant requests consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement.

Compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed concurrently with the entry of the national stage, as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.491, in an international application.

No fee or certification is required.

Information Cited

The Applicant hereby makes of record in the above-identified application the information listed on the attached form PTO-1449 (modified PTO/SB/08). The order of presentation of the references should not be construed as an indication of the importance of the references.

The Applicant would like to bring to the Examiner's attention the enclosed International Search Report from corresponding International Application No. PCT/FR2004/050713.

As shown in the patent family search attached to the search report, U.S. Patent No.2002/039833 corresponds to document FR 2 812 763 and U.S. Patent No.2002/013042 corresponds to document WO 0 180 311.

For the relevance of document DE 100 19 712, the Examiner's attention is directed to the attached English Abstract and to the International Search Report wherein document DE 100 19 712 has been placed in category X, meaning that, in the opinion of the International Searching Authority, it is particularly relevant if taken alone.

Remarks

Documents cited anywhere in the Information Disclosure Statement are enclosed unless otherwise indicated. It is respectfully requested that:

1. The Examiner consider completely the cited information, along with any other information, in reaching a determination concerning the patentability of the present claims;
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Notwithstanding any statements by the Applicant, the Examiner is urged to form his or her own conclusion regarding the relevance of the cited information.

An early and favorable action is hereby requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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		2003/073258	A1	Mukai et al.	04/17/2003
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